

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM REFUSE DISPOSAL DIVISION



Landfill Gas Management

GM 0101 Process Map Number(s): GM-1.0

Background / Purpose: The purpose of this EMP is to research the feasibility of developing a co-generation project at the Arizona Street Landfill to supply the electrical energy needs for the Morley Field Recreation Center. Based on the success of the Miramar Co-generation Project the use of landfill gas to provide electrical energy not only turns a liability into an asset but also reduces the power demand on the grid and would provide Morley Field Recreation Center a large operational cost savings as well.

Objective: Resource Conservation Effort

Related Significant Aspects: Fugitive Gas Emissions, Improper Gas System Ops

Target: Conduct Arizona St. landfill gas to energy feasibility study for Morley Field Recreation Center and potential nearby uses.

Target Completion Date(s): January 3, 2002. Select suggested alternative and begin approval process.

Action Plan: Complete economic feasibility study by June 1, 2001; determine privatizing vs. in-house project management, select preferred alternative and initiate approval process by January 3, 2002. (*Pending positive results of feasibility study*).

Responsible Person(s): Senior Engineer- Mechanical

Resources Required: Feasibility study results.

Environmental Performance Indicator(s): Feasibility study completed, project management determined, design work started.

Comments (including other expected benefits or cost savings): Reduction in greenhouse gasses, reduction in electricity required from grid, potential \$200 K utility cost avoidance per year, operations and maintenance cost avoidance under privatization agreement.

Baseline Data: There is no current baseline data for the Arizona St. landfill gas to energy project. This EMP will begin to establish this data.

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EMP Schedule					
Step	Action Items	Responsibilities	Role	Schedule	Resources Required
1	Complete economic feasibility	Sr. Eng. Mech.	Lead	6/01/01	Consultant
2	Determine preferred development alternative	Sr. Eng. Mech.	Lead	12/17/01	N/A
3	Initiate preferred alternative approval process	Sr. Eng. Mech.	Lead	01/03/02	N/A